



I-5/ORTEGA HIGHWAY INTERCHANGE IMPROVEMENT PROJECT

Sunday, March 22 - Saturday, March 28, 2015

New crosswalk on Del Obispo at Ortega Highway



A crosswalk and pedestrian signals have been installed on Del Obispo Street at Ortega Highway, providing pedestrians safer and more convenient access between downtown and the city's east side via the Ortega bridge.

I-5 / Ortega Highway Full Closures Scheduled for March 27, 28

Full closures of I-5 in San Juan Capistrano and the Ortega Highway bridge are scheduled for March 27, 28. The freeway will be closed from 11:59 p.m. each night to 6 a.m. the following morning. The Ortega Highway bridge will be closed from 11 p.m. each night to 6 a.m. the following morning.

The closures are necessary to allow recently installed falsework to be adjusted for the new bridge on the north side of Ortega.

During the closures, motorists traveling north on I-5 will be diverted to the Ortega Highway off-ramp and will use Rancho Viejo Road and Junipero Serra Road to re-access the northbound I-5.

Motorists traveling south on I-5 will be diverted to the Ortega Highway off-ramp and back to southbound I-5 via the Ortega Highway on-ramp.

Motorists who want to drive into San Juan Capistrano from I-5 must use the Camino Capistrano or Junipero Serra exits.

Regularly scheduled nighttime closure(s) from Sunday, March 22, to Saturday, March 28, include:

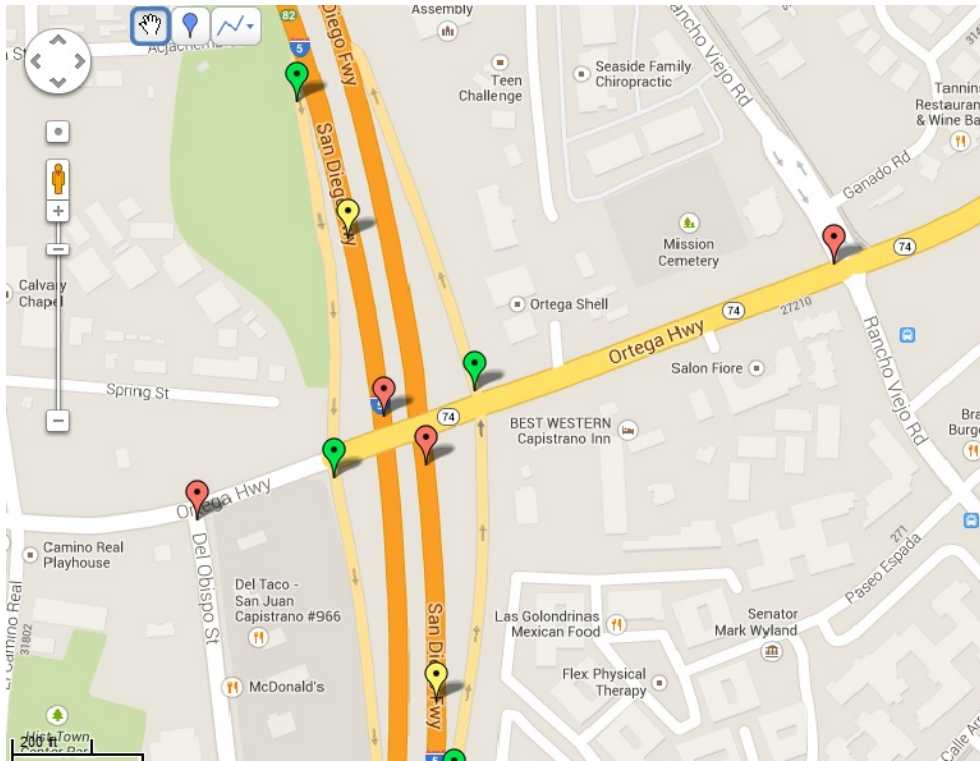
Ortega Highway Ramp Closures

- **Southbound I-5 on-ramp**
 - Sunday to Thursday from 11:59 p.m. to 5 a.m.
- **Southbound I-5 off-ramp**
 - Sunday to Thursday from 11 p.m. to 5 a.m.
- **Northbound I-5 on-ramp**
 - Sunday to Thursday from 11:59 p.m. to 5 a.m.
- **Northbound I-5 off-ramp**
 - Sunday to Thursday from 11 p.m. to 5 a.m.

I-5 Freeway & Ortega Highway Lane Reductions

- **Northbound I-5 between Camino Capistrano and Junipero Serra Road**
 - Sunday to Thursday from 10 p.m. to 5 a.m.
- **Southbound I-5 between Junipero Serra Road and Camino Capistrano**
 - Sunday to Thursday from 10 p.m. to 5 a.m.
- **Westbound Ortega Highway from Rancho Viejo Road to Del Obispo Street**
 - Sunday to Thursday from 11 p.m. to 5 a.m.

Click on the map below to see the full schedule of nightly closures and detours planned on the I-5 / Ortega Highway Interchange Improvement Project from Sunday, March 22, to Saturday, March 28, 2015.



[View Map](#)

DISCLAIMER: Please be advised, these dates and times are subject to change due to unforeseen operational factors or inclement weather.

NEIGHBORING PROJECTS

I-5 South County Improvement Project

Avenida Pico to San Juan Creek Road

Construction is underway on the I-5 South County Improvement project. The 5.7-mile project will add a carpool lane in both directions on the I-5 freeway between Avenida Pico and San Juan Creek Road and reconstruct the interchange at Avenida Pico.

For additional information about the project, visit www.octa.net/I-5Pico, and to view closure and detour information, [click here](#).

I-5 Ocean View Rehab Project

The Ocean View Rehab Project kicked off construction in October in San Diego County. The \$37.3 million project will replace the damaged concrete pavement slabs of the slow lane in each direction of the I-5 freeway between Oceanside and the San Diego / Orange County Line.

Motorists should expect delays during work hours and check Caltrans Quick Map at quickmap.dot.ca.gov for the latest freeway traffic information before leaving home. For additional information, please view the [project fact sheet](#).

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